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CONTINUED EFFORTS TO PREVENT IRAN'S ACQUISITION OF NEW
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(SBU) Ref talking points were delivered on August 28 to Mark Horvath, Head of Section for Arms Control and Non-Proliferation, GoH Ministry of Foreign Affairs. Horvath was intimately familiar with various UNSC resolutions on this issue and the NSG in general, having recently returned from a four year tour at the Hungarian Mission to the UN in New York. He stated that Hungary is always cautious regarding contact with the Iranian government or related entities and continues to support strong non-proliferation efforts towards Tehran. Horvath did not believe any private Hungarian companies dealt with nuclear fuel issues, only energy related technologies. He plans to circulate Ref talking points to other relevant departments in the MFA and will advise PolOff if any further comments surface.

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